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At a joint meeting of Sedgwick  
Post No. 10, G. A. R., and Sedg-  
wick, W. R. C., at their headquarters  
in Holman hall Saturday afternoon,  
the following named officers were in-  
stalled for the ensuing year:

G. A. R.  
Post Commander—D. W. Mat-  
thews.  
Sr. Vice-Commander—F. A.  
Thompson.  
Jr. Vice-Commander—J. E. Ross.  
Quartermaster—J. H. Smith.  
Surgeon—Jas. Batchelor.  
Officer of Day—L. C. Sutton.  
Officer of Guard—C. S. Stone.  
Chaplain—W. M. Robinson.  
Adjutant—D. Webster.  
W. R. C.  
President—Mrs. Effie Wright.  
Sr. Vice President—Mrs. Maria  
Thompson.  
Jr. Vice President—Mrs. Maggie  
Hade.  
Secretary—Mrs. Hattie F. Camer-  
on.  
Treasurer—Mrs. Rose R. Voris.  
Chaplain—Mrs. W. H. Byars.

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They don't seem very wonderful  
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make the affliction any easier to  
bear, to know that YOU are prob-  
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## PRESIDENT IN MESSAGE SHOWS HE MADE NO ATTACK ON CONGRESS

Washington, Jan. 4.—President Roosevelt's expected special message on the secret service was sent to the house today. It denies the statement made in the house resolution of inquiry that he had charged any member of the present congress with corruption or that the majority of congressmen were in fear of investigation by detectives. He gives the names of former senators and representatives convicted in connection with land frauds, and reiterates the declaration made in his annual message that the limitations placed by congress on the operations of the secret service could be of benefit only to the criminal class.

Of the work done by the secret service, the President refers to the land, naturalization, lottery, silk, opium, ink and other frauds. He recommends that all the government detective services be consolidated into a single bureau to be attached to the department of justice, and that Chief Wilkie's salary be increased from \$4000 to \$6000 a year.

He denies strenuously the allegations made in certain quarters that he ever used the secret service in purely private or political matters.

Incidentally he charges that agitation against the secret service was begun with an article written by L. W. Busbey, private secretary to Speaker Cannon, for a Chicago newspaper.

Although the President presents a strong though calm argument that he was exactly right in making the criticisms that enlivened his message at the opening of the session.

"I am wholly at a loss," he says "to understand the concluding portion of the house resolution. I have made no charges against congress, nor any member of the present house. If I had proof of such corruption affecting any member of the house in any matter as to which the federal government has jurisdiction, action would at once be brought, as was done in the cases of Senators Mitchell and Burton, Representatives Williamson, Hermann and Driggs at different times since I have been President."

"A careful reading of my message will show that I said nothing to warrant the statement in the house resolution that 'the majority of the congressmen were in fear of being investigated by the secret service men,' or 'that congress, as a whole, was actuated by that motive.'"

In support of his statement that the chief argument in favor of the movement to restrict the secret service was alleged fear of "some mem-

bers that they might be investigated," the President refers to the house report of the debate last May on that subject, as given in the Congressional Record. He says responsibility for the action taken by the house rested on the committee on appropriations, under the leadership of Chairman Tawney (Rep. Minn.), Smith (Rep. Iowa), Sherley (Dem. Ky.) and Fitzgerald (Dem. N. Y.).

The beginning of this agitation, the President says, was a 3000-word letter sent to the Chicago Inter-Ocean in 1904 by L. W. Busbey, private secretary to Speaker Cannon. At the time this letter assailing the secret service was published, President Roosevelt points out these govern-

ment detectives were working on the great land fraud in the West and aiding in the beef trust investigation. "But all of this," continues the President's message, "is of insignificant importance compared with the main, the real issue. This issue is simply, does congress desire that the government shall have at its disposal the most efficient instrument for the detection of criminals and the prevention and punishment of crime, or does it not? The action of the house last May was emphatically an action against the interest of justice and against the interest of law-abiding people, and in its effect of benefit only to lawbreakers. Is the house not willing to remedy the wrong?"

The President quotes from a letter he sent to Speaker Cannon April 30, protesting against interference with the secret service, in which he said: "There is no more foolish outcry than this against 'spies,' only criminals need fear detectives."

The message reviews the operations of the secret service men since 1901. They uncovered a system for the fraudulent acquisition and fencing of public lands. In this work one of the detectives was assassinated. In Nebraska 60 men were indicted for land frauds, and of 32 so far tried, 28 have been convicted. The government has secured the return of 1,000,000 acres of grazing land and of 2,000 acres of mineral land in Colorado. It is suing for 150,000 additional acres.

In conclusion he says: "I most earnestly ask, in the name of good government and decent administration, in the name of honesty and for the purpose of bringing to justice violators of the federal laws, wherever they may be found, whether in public or private life, that the action taken by the house last year be reversed."

#### Lame Shoulder.

This is a common form of muscular rheumatism. No internal treatment is needed. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely twice a day and a quick cure is certain. This liniment has proven especially valuable for muscular and chronic rheumatism, and is sure to give quick relief. Chamberlain's Liniment is also most excellent for sprains and bruises. Price, 25 cents; large size 50 cents. For sale by Dr. Stone's drug store.

#### TO HONOR MEMORY OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN

The Young Men's Republican Club held a meeting Friday night and elected officers for the ensuing year. President, Carl Abrams. Vice-president, Lee Acheson. Secretary, J. G. Heltzell. Treasurer, S. Z. Culver. Committee on Lincoln banquet, February 12, Fred R. Waters, Frank West and Ira Hamilton.

It is intended to make the banquet at the Willamette Hotel on the above occasion a very interesting affair.

#### STANDARD OIL MOVES FOR A REHEARING

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 2.—Motions for re-hearings were filed today by the Standard Oil company of Indiana and the Republic Oil company in the cases in which they were ousted from Missouri by a recent decision of the state supreme court, and were fined \$50,000 each. The Waters-Pierce Oil company, which was ordered to separate itself from the Standard or discontinue operations has not yet filed any motion though the time for such action expires tonight.

We admire Dr. W. A. Cusick's fighting qualities. While most of the twobit politicians have quit he goes right on lambasting the stuffing out of Statement No. 1. Like General Grant he doesn't know when he is licked.

#### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Signature  
Cash

#### Fever Sores.

Fever sores and old chronic sores should not be healed entirely, but should be kept in healthy condition. This can be done by applying Chamberlain's Salve. This salve has no superior for this purpose. It is also most excellent for chapped hands, sore nipples, burns and diseases of the skin. For sale by Dr. Stone's drug store.

Nobody knows but Frank Herron may make a good street commissioner. All who have ever employed him on such work says he makes good. There are not many jobs in this world which only one man is fit for.

#### The Pure Food Law.

Secretary Wilson says: "One of the objects of the law is to inform the consumer of the presence of certain harmful drugs in medicines." The law requires that the amount of chloroform, opium, morphine, and other habit forming drugs be stated on the label of each bottle. The manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have always claimed that their remedy did not contain any of these drugs, and the truth of this claim is now fully proven, as not mention of them is made on the label. This remedy is not only one of the safest, but one of the best in use for coughs and colds. Its value has been proven beyond question during the many years it has been in general use. For sale by Dr. Stone's drug store.

#### Notice.

The regular annual meeting of the shareholders of the Capital National Bank of Salem, for the election of directors, will be held at its banking house, in Salem, Oregon, Tuesday, January 12, 1909, at 3 o'clock p. m. JOE H. ALBERT, 14-1w  
Cashier

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DANGER SIGNAL NO. 1 comes from the kidney secretions. They will warn you when the kidneys are sick. Well kidneys excrete a clear, amber fluid. Sick kidneys send out a thin, pale and foamy, or a thick red, ill-smelling urine, full of sediment and irregular passage.

DANGER SIGNAL NO. 2 comes from the back. Back pains, dull and heavy, or sharp and acute, tell you of sick kidneys and warn you of the approach of dropsy, diabetes and Bright's disease. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys and cure them permanently. Here's Salem proof.

William Baumgardner, retired, 525 Water street, Salem, Oregon, says: "I speak from personal experience when I say that Doan's Kidney Pills do all that is claimed for them in curing kidney complaint and backache. I had felt the need of a kidney remedy for a long time, but I found many of the medicines I used worthless. When I read of Doan's Kidney Pills, I was induced to procure a supply at Dr. Stone's drug store. The backache and weakness of the kidneys, which had annoyed me were quickly removed, and I was restored to good health. I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone in need of a kidney medicine."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

#### East Salem Push Club.

This organization, with about 100 members, will meet Wednesday evening at the Seventeenth street Evangelical church to perfect its organization.

#### A Higher Health Level.

"I have reached a higher health level since I began using Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Jacob Springer, of West Franklin, Maine. "They keep my stomach, liver and bowels working just right." If these pills disappoint you on trial money will be refunded at J. C. Perry's drug store, 25c.

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Signature  
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## SPECIAL SALE

At 20 per cent reduction on all lines of shoes. Save money for your self or family. At the Little German Shoe Store, State street.

**Jacob Vogt**

#### Coos County Treasurer Dead.

At Coquille Monday death summoned John B. Duley, treasurer of this county and a pioneer of '54. He had served this county in the legislature in early days and was, before his death, the earliest settler of Coos Bay living. He had been twice married, and leaves a large family. John B. Duley was universally admired by the oldtimers. He was 74 years of age. County court is in session to appoint a guardian of the county funds.—Coos Bay Harbor.

#### Put in Jail.

very accurately describes anyone's feelings who is confined to the house with an attack of rheumatism, lumbago, stiff joints or muscles. Ballard's Snow Liniment will cure the trouble, relieve the pain and make you as supple as a two year old. Sold by all dealers.

#### School Board Business.

The school board met Saturday evening and decided to celebrate the centennial anniversary of Lincoln's birthday, and appointed A. A. Lee, Dr. Enley and W. P. Babcock a committee on arrangements. Another teacher was added to the high school faculty, Miss Mary den Bleyker, of Tacoma, being selected for the position. The Lincoln school will not be opened until Wednesday.

#### Too Much Face.

You feel as if you had one face too many when you have Neuralgia. Don't you? Save the face, you may need it; but get rid of the Neuralgia by applying Ballard's Snow Liniment. Finest thing in the world for rheumatism, neuralgia, burns, cuts, scalds, lame back and all pains. Sold by all dealers.

#### Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Salem proposes to change and re-establish the grade on Court street in said city, between Church street and a point 346 feet east of the east property line of 18th street, in accordance with the report of the city engineer, now on file in the office of the city recorder. By order of the Common Council. W. A. MOORES, 1-4-11t  
City Recorder.

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A Day Medicine for Many People. Brags 9-10c. Health and Food. A specific for Catarrh, Inflammation, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Dropsy, Rheumatism, Blood, Bad Breath, Stomach, Bowels, Headache and Indigestion. It is a safe, pleasant and effective remedy. Sold by all druggists. Price 25c. Sold by Golden.

